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*Description:* f. 1 - This collection of English binding fragments was given to NYU by Homer Lewis Bartlett (1858-1940), who graduated in 1884 from NYU with a degree in Science and Civil Engineering; he married Clarice Sherman Noble in 1892; they had five children; by 1902, he was second vice-president of the Eastern District Savings Bank. De Ricci states that the collection (of 101 fragments with 70 others laid into the album) was given to NYU in 1884 (the same year in which Homer L. Bartlett graduated). - De Ricci, p. 1346

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*Language:* English *Century:* 15th

**Part 1: f. 1r-v**

*Description:* - Parchment - 15 long lines, occupying the bottom part of a leaf.

*Country:* Cardinal point:

*Region:* City:

*Assigned Date:* s. XV<sup>3/4</sup> *Searchable Date Range:* 1450 - 1475

*Dated by scribe:* No *Inscribed Date:*

*Document:* No *Number of Scribes:*

*Script:* Anglicana

*Number of Texts:* 1

**Text 1: f. 1r-v**

*Language(s):* English

*Incipit:* wherfore þe oyle þat is mestre myzxti is þus þ[e oil...]

*Explicit:* of edera take þou drie trees of edera

*Notes:* On the recto: medical recipe for oil of ivy. On the verso: medical recipes for oils; see esp. the third recipe with the heading, "Of hote oylys and fourst of oleo laurino."